

REMARKS

EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY

On August 28, 2006, Examiner Jeffrey C. Pwu and Ronald M. Pomerence, representative for the Applicants conducted a telephonic interview. The Examiner indicated that the present application was subject to a provisional double patenting rejection in view of U.S. Patent Application 09/930,878 filed on August 15, 2001.

The Applicants agreed to submit a Terminal Disclaimer.

TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

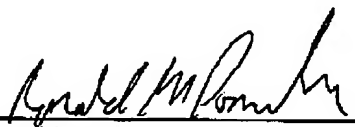
The Applicants have attached a Terminal Disclaimer to this response. Therefore, the provisional double patenting rejection over U.S. Patent Application 09/930,878 has been overcome.

A statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) has been previously submitted by the assignee on or about November 10, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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